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In re Application of

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Group Art Unit: 1635

Heber-Katz

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Examiner: K. Lacourciere

Serial No. 09/813,930

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Atty. Dkt. No. 000486.00006

For: **METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR HEALING HEART WOUNDS**

RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Director of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed January 22, 2003. We believe no fee is due to make this response timely filed. If a fee is due, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Claims 1-23 are pending. Claims 3-14 are withdrawn from consideration. Claims 1, 2, and 14-23 are rejected. Claim 15 is objected to.

Please enter the following amendments.